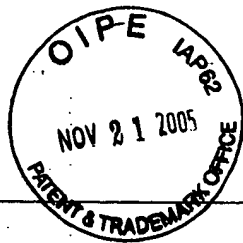


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Applicant(s): Helmut Kreller					
Invention: CONNECTING CONSTRUCTION FOR COMPONENTS OF A SYSTEM FRAME, COUPLING UNIT AND FRAMEWORK					
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 22, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper;

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper;

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 11 of this paper and include two attached replacement sheets; and

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.